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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Paul F. Struhsaker, et al.

Serial No.

09/839,509

Filed

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For

BACKPLANE ARCHITECTURE FOR USE IN WIRELESS AND

WIRELINE ACCESS SYSTEMS

Group No.

2661

Examiner

Ian N. Moore

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

A one month extension of time is believed to be required. An appropriate petition and fee are enclosed.

No further fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any additional fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No further extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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In response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: